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Further to the filing of the Information Disclosure Statement, and in accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, Applicants hereby brings the following information to the attention of the Examiner:

U.S. Patent No. 5,691,159. This document was cited in the Information Disclosure Statement and is presently included on the Form PTO-1449 having been inadvertently omitted on the previously submitted form.

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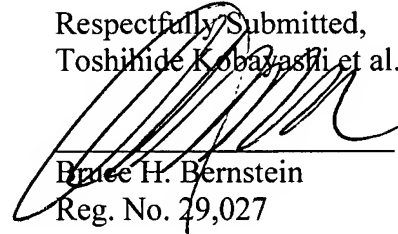
International Search Report should have been forwarded by the International Bureau. Therefore, copies of all of these documents were previously not submitted. However, a copy of Hideki ISHIWATA et al., Chem. Pharm. Bull., Vol. 43, No. 6, pp. 1005-1011 (1995) is being submitted herewith, and a copy of L.F. AMOROSA et al., Atherosclerosis, Vol. 64, pp. 117-123 (1987) is being obtained for submission.

The Examiner is accordingly requested to consider each of these documents, and to make them of record in this application by initialing in the appropriate spaces on the attached Form-1449. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner include a copy of the initialed Form PTO-1449 with the next communication from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. **If the Examiner needs copies of any of the documents, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned.**

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